

House Resolution No. 2993

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State educators whose significant contributions of time and energy help ensure that students obtain the knowledge, skills, and experiences necessary to become lifelong learners, involved citizens, and future societal leaders; and

Whereas, Patricia Hamilton of Hamilton, Missouri, has attained considerable distinction as a teacher in the Hamilton R-II School District, a vocational calling that she will draw to a close on May 20, 2008, in well-deserved retirement after twenty-five years of service; and

Whereas, the kindergarten through twelfth-grade art teacher, Patricia Hamilton also serves as the Community Teachers Association president and a class sponsor for high school; and

Whereas, holder of a Master's degree from Drake University in Des Moines, Iowa, Patricia Hamilton has brought to Hamilton schools a wealth of expertise and insight garnered from earlier employment as an art teacher in Lineville and Leon, Iowa, and at Mercer, Mountain View, and Birch Tree, Missouri; and

Whereas, Patricia Hamilton is justifiably proud also to be known as the daughter of Carolyn and Clair Hamilton and as the sibling of James Hamilton, Lucretia Hamilton, and Teresa Hamilton Krigbaum; and

Whereas, it is fitting and proper that the Missouri House of Representatives should pause in its constitutionally mandated actions in order to acknowledge milestone events in the lives and careers of such outstanding Missouri citizens as Patricia Hamilton:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the personal and professional accomplishments garnered thus far in the life and work of Patricia Hamilton and to convey to her this legislative body's most heartfelt best wishes as she partakes of the special opportunities and pleasures traditionally associated with the golden years of retirement; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for presentation to Patricia Hamilton of Hamilton, Missouri.

Offered by _____
Representative John Quinn
District No. 7

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session,
do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 2993, adopted May 13, 2008.

Rod Jetton, Speaker